

REGION 1
111 AND WALNUT STREETS
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19106

Mr. Ronald G. Wagenmann
Township Manager
Upper Merion Township
King of Prussia, PA 19406

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Dear Mr. Wagenmann:

In reply to your constituent's question regarding whether radiation monitoring was performed at Tyson's Dump site, I hope the following information will address that concern.

On 12/21/83, Phoenix Safety Associates, Limited had conducted a radiation scan of both the on-site (fenceline inclusive) and off-site areas, including the floodplain/wetlands. The scan utilized a Ludlum Model 3 survey meter. All readings were at the background level, which was less than 0.01 millirems per hour.

As a further check, all field personnel were required to wear radiation Thermoluminescent Dosimeter (TLD) badges for the duration of their site activities. These badges were collected and analyzed for radiation exposure. There were no positive or above background level findings.

If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Joseph P. Dugandzic

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Remedial Project Manager

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